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## A BLOODLESS BATTLE.

lade of Shots.

A MASSILLON DIVORCE GRANTED.

Mrs. Mary Rinchart Secures the Decree with Alimony Thrown In-Important Cases Assigned for Trial Next Week-A Canton Brick Company Assigns.

CANTON. Jan. 28.—Three burglars were thwarted, last night, in an attempt DUNILLI to rob the safe in the Valley depot. They were about to apply a match to the fuse when Officer Piero arrived on the scene. A number of shots were exchanged but no one was hurt, and the burglars made good their escape. Officer Piero says he fired three times and the cracksmen twice. Night Watchman Charles Hemminger opened fire with his revolver on several persons on the roof of the Hirshheimer building about 1 o'clock. He was in turn fired upon but uninjured, and the supposed burglars disappeared. is thought that they intended forcing an entrance into the Harter bank.

The court assignment for next week is exceptionally large and includes many important cases. Those of interest to Massillonians are: George C. Davidson Hall vs. Charles Frantz and others; Con- to and amending the shop and factory rad, Dangler & Brown vs. Pahlau and others; Biggar's execution vs. Doxsee and Jones. The latter bill, which was passed others; Eckley vs. the Canton Massillon by a vote of 98 yeas, nays none, provides electric railway company; Whistler vs. the Massillon Bridge Company, and Hinton's administrator vs. the Canton Mas. act, is to be weighed before it is screened. silion electric railway company. The case on Tuesday.

to \$500. Lawyers Wilson & Day represented the plaintiff

A decree was granted yesterday by Judge McCarty in the divorce proceeding of William Seifert vs. Jane Seifert, of Navarre.

L. M. Siglen & Company have brought **\$1.000.** 

street, assigned this morning to H. B. in the wage schedule. Webber. The assets are represented at \$12,000, and the liabilities at \$10,000. The will of Nancy McClarran, of Lexington township, has been filed for pro-Lydia Machamer, of Lake township. Lewis Miller has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ferdinand Nau-

man, of Canton. Representative John P Jones has inand trustees of Canton township from prosecution for drawing fees under a continuding that they were ignorant of the competition of cheap foreign labor. any violation and acted under legal ad-The immediate passage of the bills will be necessary in order to benefit those involved, for Prosecutor Pomerene has given them until February 1st, to make good the over-draft before he takes legal action.

GUARDING THE GRAVE.

The Budy of Joseph Harrow Wanted by Medical College.

public expense.

A representative of the Western Reother day, and, in accordance with the Sunday morning and was buried at the

The ci zens of Tuscarawas township to have the grave disturbed now, and on a candidate. that they will not tolerate it even in the interest of science. Every night a guard has increased the confidence of the men is placed over the grave, citizens of West here at home in President Ratchford, Brookfield, where the cemetery is located, being on duty Thursday night. No dawned. "When the miners get an adattempt has yet been made to exhume vance in wages," said a miner this the body.

#### DRAGGED BY A HORSE.

Charles Stoner Meets with a Very Serious Accident.

he was driving west of the city, on the eight hour system was supposed to Thursday. In attempting to leap from be in effect, but I found few places the vehicle, the young man's feet caught where it really was." in the lines, and being unable to extricate himself. was dragged for a distance of 200 yards. He brought the horse to a His Plea Is Guilty to the Charge of stop by finally succeeding in catching hold of one of the lines and pulling it into a fence corner. . Even then he was cently indicted for embezzlement and under the carriage until aid arrived. Mr. charge when arraigned before Judge Stoner's garments were torn to shreds, McCarty, Friday afternoon. Wise was and although no bones were broken, he sentenced to the penitentiary for one was so cut and bruised that he is now year. Wise resides at Uniontown. confined to his West Main street home | Lawrence Rickard has sued D. W. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus and Virginia Rees to recover \$140. The Btoner, and is employed in the West sum is alleged to be due on a promiseory

Side flour mill. Dyspepsia-bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the been filed and accepted. A petition to

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

John Cassidy Charged with Altering a S1 FOR SCHOOL SUFFRACE. AN IMPORTANT CASE.

John Cassidy, of Salem, was arrested in Lisbon and brought before United Thursday, charged with having altered a \$1 bill to \$10. Commissioner Folger placed Cassidy under \$1,000 bond for his appearance on February 3.

Thomas Petrie, charged with hunting on the land of another without permission, gave bond yesterday for his later appearance before Justice Folger. Samuel Darr is the prosecuting witness in the case.

Miners to be Paid for Their Entire Output.

ANTAGONISTIC TO FOREIGN LABOR.

Months.

COLUMBUS, Jan. 28.—Almost the entire Thursday morning session of the House was taken up with the discussion and passage of labor bills. Three bills laws, and the anti-screen bill of Mr. that Ohio miners be paid for the whole product of their labor. Coal, by the new This bill was opposed by the late Dem-

Doxsee case is assigned for trial before ocratic gubernatorial candidate, Horace Judge Taylor on Monday, the Whistler L. Chapman, a large coal operator, and yet two representative miners made Judge McCarty heard the case of Mary arguments in its favor and said that it Rinchart vs. Charles A. Rinchart, of would not only be fair to the workmen, Massillon, this morning, allowing a de- but would remove one of the chief causes oree of divorce and alimony amounting of contention between miners and operators. Mr. Jones, of Stark county, said that if the bill became a law and coal was weighed before screening the miners would be willing to submit to a reducbe settled by miners and operators, of be given to women to make them under- are being plastered with them. Coxey sheets across the swelling waters and suitagainst Caroline Bammerlin, Leonard course, but the decrease in wages men-stand that it is right for them to have looks heroic on the bills. He knows the made rainbows in the ship's spray, we merlin and Ailce Von Kanel, of Mas- tioned by Mr. Jones would not be contest- an interest in governmental affairs. sillon, to recover \$237 59. The sum is an ed if the bill became a law, he said. The "One means of education is the ballot, wouldn't know him on the street from Luther's grand old hymn. "Ein feste higher On regular trans Wilkin Towl, owner of the Cleveland the whole of their output that they could cise of full suffrage." Brick Company's plant in South Cherry afford to meet a proportionate decrease

disclosed in the discussion, and which concern to the operator. If slack as well George Ruhlin troduced two bills exempting the clerk as lump, however, is to be paid for, the most efficient labor, and thus the skilled their tenth wedding anniversary. law since declared unconstitutional, diggers expect the bill to militate against

The bill makes it a misdemeanor, punishable by \$300 fine, for any mine owner. lessee, or operator, to neglect or refuse to comply with the provisions of the act. It will become operative six months after it becomes a law.

**NEWS FROM NAVARRE.** 

of Mrs. Rickard.

NAVARRE, Jan. 28.—In honor of Miss Lillian Snyder's birthday anniversary. a large number of friends assembled at at the residence of W. E. Ax, the other the show; works I unc i's mouth; works and told him that he had been looking bill are, that the trustees appointed unserve Medical College called on Trustee her home west of the city, Thursday day, and when he left he took with him Judy's mouth; works his own mouth. Eggert, of Tuscarawas township, the evening, and were plea antly entertained. Mr. Ax's rubber boots and coat. Mrs. Rickard, who was stricken with law, served notice on him that it was his paralysis a few days ago, is growing intention to disinter and take possession weaker, and her recovery is very im- of A. W. Gallatin has been sold to Noah of the body of Joseph Harrow, who died probable. Adam Rickard, her grand- Spruner for \$57 an acre....John Hevener

There was a great turning out of are much aroused over the matter. Knights of Pythias, Thursday evening, They declare that it would be a disgrace when the second degree was conferred

has been summoned home.

The victory of the miners at Chicago and all agree that prosperity has indeed morning, "it is a sure sign of better difficulties will be more readily adjusted. times. And now if the eight-hour workday does not prove to be nothing more in singing: than a name, I will be ready to believe that the millennium is at hand. I have Charles Stoner's horse took fright as travelled over a great many states where

MILTON WISE SENTENCED.

Forgery.

CANTON, Jan. 29.—Milton Wise, reunable to help himself and had to lie forgery, pleaded guilty to the latter on Friday.

> note. The resignation of Henry Kreil. and the stock, which is now being ining as executor of the estate of Joseph Putman, of Sugarcreek township, has amount. sell real estate has been filed in the es- CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—[By Associated]

Women.

PROTESTS TO BE SENT TO COLUMBUS

As-ociation, of Which Mrs. C. McC. Ever- | sessed one dollar and costs. hard is President.

Mrs. C. McC. Everhard, president of the Ohio Woman's Suffrage Association, is anxious to secure a large protest against the adoption of the Hazlett bill, which provides for the repeal of the A Philadephia Editor's Pen Pictschool suffrage law, and for this purpose papers are being circulated throughout the city which should be signed by every adult individual. Mrs. Everhard is in correspondence with some members of the general assembly who have expressed themselves to the effect that in Failure to Comply with the Provisions of their opinions the repeal bill will never \$300-Fine Will.Become Operative in Six strong protest against it should go in from Massillon.

Upon being asked what the probable come is hardly expected. "If women believe only half ot it:

no share. Now can it be expected that Paradise. having been inspired with these senti- The reason that Coxey bests David is first of the Azores, rose out of its veil of

alleged balance on a promissory note of theory is that the miners would be so and the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of theory is that the miners would be so and the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of theory is that the miners would be so and the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of theory is that the miners would be so and the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of theory is that the miners would be so and the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance on a promissory note of the school ballot, if used with distance of the school ballot, if used with distance of the school ballot, greatly the gainers by receiving pay for cretion will prepare them for an exer- moustache. It withered and he place is Our God,") played as a duet upon in- Hamburg, supplies for the round trip,

> **FULTON'S HAND BALL TEAM** A feature of the bill which was not Practicing Hard to Make a Good Showing Against Canton.

CANAL FULTON, Jan. 27-The band ball fact that the effects of the law would be team is practicing daily, and this week a run all the time, except when it stops, assembled to drink in the warm air. antagonistic to foreign and incompetent formal challenge will be sent to Canton. It carries a big, white tent. Barnum Off in the distance lay the Azores, the pointed administrator of the estate of labor. Only the skilled miner can take Tomorrow night the athletes of the said mammoth. Coxey says mammoth. first outport of Portugal, and on our left out coal without shattering it into fine town will hold a boxing carnival in the pieces. When all coal is screened before Fulton Athletic Club's headquarters. weighing and the miner is paid only for The principal event will be a ten-round charge him for coming. He doesn't charge and while the null of the English merthe large lumps, this is not a matter of contest between Luther Shilling and them It's even. Free as sunshine. Free chantman sank from view, we steamed

**NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS.** News of West Brookfield.

All are invited to attend. Chas. Rein- pearance to deny it. He won't disap-A Birthday Surprise Party-the Condition ochl has moved his drill tools to Man- Pear. chester, where he is to do some drilling. A TRAMP STEALS BOOTS.

A FARM SOLD.

WEST LEBANON, Jan. 29.—The farm son, who is attending Mt. Union College, has disposed of the old Dr. Mc Millan property to Frederick Smith, for the consideration of \$735.

THE MINERS REJOICE.

East Greenville, Jan. 28 .-- Nothing has ever caused more joy in our town than the result of the great convention of the miners and operators at Chicago. The miners realize that they have won a great victory, and are satisfied that in the future, the operator and miner will work more in harmony and that all! The laborers and business men all join

My country, 'tis of thee, Sweet land of liberty, O: thee I sing. Land where my fathers died, Land of the pitgrim's pride. From every mountain side Let freedom ring.

urday, to visit her aged mother.

GENERAL STORE SOLD.

McDonaldsville, Jan. 28 - Cyrus J. Witwer has sold his general merchandise store to Harvey Daily, of Aultman, who will take possession about the middle of Service will be Established West of This March. The buildings brought \$1200, voiced, will bring about the same

Walked Into the River.

Coughs and colds. down to the very

borderland of consumption, yield to the

It is a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Eclec. man of this city, committed suicide, to of the city.

The consumption of establishing rural for the city.

BEFORE THE MAYOR. A Case of Assault and One of Assault and

Mrs. Rachel Korven, of East Greenville, who Dr. Kimber claimed threatbucket, appeared before Mayor Schott, Thursday afternoon, and pleaded guilty to a charge of assault. She was fined one dollar and costs.

Louis Joslin was brought in from Tuscarawas township by Policeman Truitt, Thursday, to answer to a charge of as-The Repeal of the Law will be Warmly sault and battery preferred by William Contested by the Ohio Woman's Suffrage Harter. Pleading guilty, he was as-

ure of Coxey.

AN EXPENSIVE CAMPAIGN CAR.

The 'ar, Like His 'ampaign, Will Run All Plastered With Flaming Posters, and Coxey is the Whole Show.

The Philadelphia Inquirer is greatly marvelling that our good ship, driven action of the Ohio suffrage association interested in the campaign of our dis- by a power the equivalent of 16,000 would be in case school suffrage was tinguished townsman, "General" Coxwithdrawn, Mrs. Everhard replied that ey, and keeps its readers well informed Mass llon mine equal to 300 tons, and it would be impossible to say, but that as to his doings. The following strikes ploughing on with a speed of 20 miles vs. Charles Frantz and others; Ernest of this nature were passed, both adding the injustice of the act is being so wide- The Independent as being just a little an hour, carries without disorder or disly felt and expressed that such an out- exaggerated, and advises its readers to comfort a burden that on land would

> are to come into the body politic and as- | The grass withereth. Psalmist David | ger cars. sume the duties of citizens," said Mrs. in melancholy sang "I am withered as | Still, even the most experienced, I Everhard, "they must, of course, have the grass," but Jacob S. Coxey wither- fancy, feels something of a strange some preparation. The public schools eth not. The wind bloweth over the emotion when one of these ocean leviateach boys that patriotism ranks among flower of his fame and it bloometh. He thans slips slowly away from its dock at the highest virtues; they are told that was jugged to keep him off the grass Hoboken, as the band plays "Am any one of them may in the course of that did wither, and he now goeth about Brunner vor den Thore" and thousands events become a President of the United like a roaring lion preaching the de- of parting friends cheer and use their States; but what is considered a virtue struction of usury and the printing of handkerchiefs to wave and wipe the in boys is not expected in girls, non-interest bearing bonds as a basis for tears away. And equally strange, too, "The ballot to boys is called a priceless \$1.50 wages a day in making good roads is the sensation which comes with the right of citizenship in which giris have all around the country and thence to first sight of land, as we saw it Sun-

ments for centuries, that they will at that he has known Barnum's ways. | mist. in a blue and cloudless sky. It once give up their inherited prejudices David didn't. Barnum and Coxey know was a day long to be remembered. The and rush to the ballot box in great num- the people "love to be humbugged." usual morning trumpet call was omitted, tion of two-sevenths in their present bers? Like the process of nature, the Coxey will out Barnum Barnum. Flaming and following the custom of the German wages. The wage problem was one to processes of thought are slow; time must posters proclaim it. The South and West boats, while the early sunshine lay in stage star's beaut/-making arts. You were summoned to rise by the sound of

000,000,000 in the kind of currency he where, for a quarter of an hour, came wants. His car, like his campaign, will the music, while the passengers rapidly can. Most places he can't. They don't British flag. Salutes were exchanged, as air. Freer'n water and gas. His show between two green islands, the band Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Porter gave a din- is richer than Kentucky juice. Every playing hymn times on the promenade operators naturally will employ only the ner, Wednesday evening, in honor of town is hotter and has a higher old time deck. for his coming. The people are burning to hear him tell of issuing money to bling brooks, there is religion in a blue!

One of Coxey's ten-foot posters pic-WEST BROOKFIELD, Jan. 29.—The tures "reserved seats" in the midst of tional mood, we had the evangelist, Ira cross-roads, and see Tommy Atkins in Rev. G. W. Dunlap has spent the week his 100,000 howling admirers. From this W. Sankey, on board, bound for the Holy his best estate, at Cross Roads, where he is holding a he is suspected of sympathy with the Land. series of meetings. Next Monday even- gold "reserve." Coxey will deny it voing he will begin a series of meetings diferously at each exhibition and none dining saloon. He told us in an inter- provisions for Opening the Massilion State in the Lutheran church in this village. of them will positively be his last ap-

"Coxey's whole show is Coxey. Coxey is proprietor. Coxey is bill poster. Coxey BEACH CITY, Jan. 29.—A tramp called is supe. Coxey is Punch and Judy before Coxey is the after-show; also side show, several side-shows. In his bear cage he has a choice lot of samples of bonds that bear no interest. Coxey's middle name is Sechler. The Sechlers are proud of this. A monkey mint is part of the show. Everything issues. Coxey does all the trapeze acts himself, too. He is Sankey cut the words out of an English state. Provision is also made for the his own fat man and leau man and wild man. He says President McKinley's without previous thought, at a mass from the newly organized Massillon dissystem is a 'tax-eating' system. He says President McKinley promised little Legal Tender Coxey, his baby, to let him 'shee wheels go wound,' and posters show a Lost Sheep." section cut out of Coxey's skull, wherein Baby Coxey looks in to 'shee wheels.'

"Coxey heard Barnum say the blood taxation for the purpose."

FREE DELIVER /

In reply to inquiries by The Inde-PENDENT, Representative Tayler sends German with keen delight. the following telegram:

City.

tate of George Kohler, of Plain township. Press]—Harry Druth, a promising young of establishing rural free delivery west Former Governor Roswell P. Flower, his wife, was today sentenced to R. W. TATLER.

tic Voyage.

rious Enjoyment-Diversions are Many uttermost parts of the earth. and Diager is the Chief Event of the Day -Some of the Passengers:

STEAMSHIP NORMANNIA, ATLANTIC ( OCEAN, Jan. 12.

After eight days on ship board, we are now sailing on a sea of glass, and having left behind the Azores, await with expectancy our first glimpse of the Pillars of Hercules, where the Atlantic ocean ends, and the Mediterannean sea begins. The oalmy air of spring blows through open doors and portholes, and while the ship's clock points to 12 o'clock, I find by my own watch which still ticks off Massillon time that with you it is exactly seven o'clock in the morning. It is the mark of inexperience, perhaps, yet I have not escaped beyond the point of horses, consuming daily the output of a require 418 freight and 12 large passen-

day morning, when Corbean Island, the whereon it grew shall know it no more. struments of brass. Sometimes near, But the people shall know Coxey. His sometimes on the deck above, in the campaign car is white. It costs \$10,- steerage, in the officers' quarters—every-

If there are sermons in stones and babsky that meets a bluer ocean, but if they

Mr. Sankey conducted services in the. esting way the story of his own lifehow he had been a revenue collector in 1874 or thereabouts, met Dwight W. Moody by chance at a prayer meeting. Sankey happened to lead in song, and for him for six years. "You must re-"Moody had prayed me into resigning." and Nine," was "The Lost Sheep." meeting. Moody insisted on calling it trict. "Ninety and Nine," and as the title clung to it, Sankey had to abandon "The

The routine of life at sea is easily understood and adopted. At 7 o'clock, sun | Medina. Mahoning. Portage. Stark. time the trumpet call awakens all on Summit, Trumbull, Tuscarawas and of martyrs is the seed of the church, board. Half an hour later comes breakand so he has the words "Keep off the fast, which continues until half past 9. Grass,"painted all over his special white At 10 o'clock the little German band | ties named, who are now inmates of the car. In another place he has painted a plays upon the deck, where the stewards Toledo and Cleveland state hospitals, to picture of his face behind the Washing- serve bouillon and sandwiches. Promptly the Massillon institution. The Masillon ton prison bars. He sends all of these at noon those who can sit down to lunch, hospital will be prepared next summer things to his friends. He has no ene- which usually includes six courses, and to receive about 400 patients, the majormies. They know he is harmless. Be-those who prefer are served on deck. ing all together, the head of Coxey's The afternoon slips away, how no one Mrs. Jane Lewis will leave for West show gets to a place the same time as knows, ladies sip tea at 4 o'clock, and at Austintown, Mahoning county, on Sat-the hind part of it. His show never 6 o'clock comes the event of the daygets separated. He is his own elephant | dinner, a German table d'hote of eight The two chorus societies of this place in the morning parade. He is his own courses, while the orchestra plays and meet every week, that of James Thomas' elephant in the great waltz act. In the sings. Here we have German cookery on Thursday evening, and Daniel Davis's last scene he is seen swallowing a real in its perfection. The soups are thick, live elephant, to illustrate the elasticity the meats all have rich gravies, schweiof his system and show the people how bach, pumpernickel and other breads to buy the railroads without a cent of are in evidence, and the inevitable ice cream is accompanied by cake laid over with a frosting done in geometrical designs like a flower garden at Zoar. An American regards the ship dinner with curiosity, an Englishman with indifference, a Frenchman with disdain, and a

> Dinner being over, the orchestra plays Washington, Jan. 27.—A special agent in the ladies' parlor, where we assem-Mrs. Flower. Over in one corner is just three months from the data of

now going to his post at Tangier. Judge Geo. S. Batcheller, the American member of the international court at Cairo, is with Mrs. Batcheller. We have a handsome young gray haired Englishman who Police and Burglars Fire a Fusil- States Commissioner R. H. Folger, A Firm Stand Being Taken by ened to dash his brains out with a water Sights and Incidents of an Atlan- is taking home a charming bride from Boston. Standing in the doorway is Chief Officer Kadig, large, Teutonic, and fond of stories and pretty girls, a great sailor and most interesting gentleman. ON BOARD THE SHIP NORMANNIA. We have invalids seeking the mild climates of the East, priests going to Rome, society people hunting rest after much The Life at Sea Proves to be One of Luxu- frivolity, and travelers bound for the

When the evening concert is over the men find the smoking room, where they read, play cards, and bet on the ship's progress. Down in the second cabin parlor, not used as such on Mediterranean trips, the ship's doctor presides as hail fellow welt met, a stunning six-footer with eye glasses and fierce moustaches, and here wine, story and music pass round.

In the steerage it is no less gay. There two hundred and twelve Italians who have made money and are going home, dance Bowery dances to mandolin and guitar, and gamble constantly. A man with long black hair, whom I should not like to meet alone at night, appears to officiate, with a green and white checker-board arrangement. The system seems complicated, and all around him are stacks of foreign coins. Pieces of glass, lemon peel and wood are used as counters. I have seen these Italians pick up orange peel thrown down from an upper deck, and eat it with apparent relish. They pay twenty-four dollars each to go from New York to Genoa, and

have four meals daily, with cheap wine. The Normannia carries 287 officers and men-every one a German, and fine chaps they are. They all wear white choker neckties, and at night the waiters inspire confidence by appearing in white cotton gloves. For the time being locks and keys are unknown devices. Each of these short jacketed fellows has a certificate of character on his face.

One of the luxuries not to be missed is the salt water bathing. An individual who looks like Father Neptune in trousers turns on the water in marble tubs, and tests it with a centigrade thermometer. Fahrenheit is behind us, and we are approaching the land of the met-

Provisions for the voyage are laid in at New York, whose markets are infinitely better than any of those of the except meats, are purchased in Hamburg. The wines and beers are all Ger-

Should Germany become involved in war, the government could command the service of each of the 114 boats of the Hamburg-American line. Thus the emperor would have at his disposal four of the fastest ships in the world, capable of covering the distance between New York and Southampton in 6 days, 10 hours and 55 minutes, or 237 English

miles per hour. The rest that is to be told must be left for another story, for we have come upon Gibraltar, 3,169 miles from New York, and with Spain upon one hand and Africa were not enough to put us in a devoupon the other, we must prepare to en-Jt. P. 8,

SENATOR CROMLEY'S BILL,

Hospital.

Senator Cromley has introduced a bill which provides for the opening of the Massillon state hospital and a re-districting of the state in order to provide it when Moody heard him he sent for him with patients. Further provisions of the der the act establishing the Massillon sign and come with me," said Moody. ho-pital be continued; that they shall "I can't leave my business," said San- have power to furnish the buildings and key. "We'll pray over it," said Moody. prepare them for the reception of pa-"And in six months," continued Sankey, | tients; that they may appoint a superintendent and be continued in office un-The real name of the hymn, "Ninety til the governor shall appoint a new board under the general laws of the new-paper, and sang it under inspiration transportion of patients to the hospital

> The Massillon district, should Senator tor Cromley's bill be passed, will embrace Ashland, Carroll, Columbiana, Harrison, Holmes, Jefferson, Lorain, Wayne counties. This will necessitate the removal of patients from the counity of whom will be transferred from other institutions.

> > Stark County Fair.

The directors of the Stark County Agricultural Society will meet in the court house on Friday, Feb. 4, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of arranging the premium list for the fair of 1898. and transacting such other business as may come before the board. If the business can not be concluded in one day, the board will continue in session on Saturday, Feb. 5. Exhibitors and others interested in the success of the Stark county fair are invited and urged to be present to offer suggestions.

J. H. LEHMAN, Sec.

Chris Merry to Be Hanged. CHICAGO, Jan. 27.- [By Associated is about to go to Massillon, with a view ble to look each other over, and to listen. Press - Chris Merry, who murdered of New York, short and round, sits by hanged February 18th, This will

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#### MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898

North Mill street.

The Rev. A. E. Smith, of Defiance, ), is taking an active part in the movement against the high hat which has reached that city in full force. He has pronounced against it from the pulpit. and promulgated a decree that no more high hats shall come between himself and his hearers during his sermons.

All Germany is astonished at the latest arbitrary whim of the emperor, which consists of an order that the army shall be equipped with a new rapid firing gun made by his special command and in accordance with his own design. In the midst of a wreath of artistic chisel work on the breach are the words pro gloria et patria and ultimo ratio regis-the king's last argument.

Greece is about to fall into line with the various nations which are on the verge of war and tumult. Four hundred thousand Greeks, disgusted with the treachery, cowardice and bad faith of the Danish dynasty, which rules by grace of the concert of the powers, are organizing to depose King George and

President McKinley, in his decisive declaration in favor of a sound currency and the maintenance of the national credit, has taken no new ground, but has simply emphasized his former declarations made at the time he accepted the nomination of the national Republican party for the leadership of the nation, when he pledged himself to stand by the principles laid down in the party plat-

That the balloon has come and has entered on the list of practical machines for daily use is evinced by paragraph No. 385, circular No. 163 recently issued from the British War office which reads as follows: "Soldiers serving at home and not receiving travelling allowances ing. It is handsomely bound in red the following rates of travelling allow-side the imprint, in gilt letters, "Journal ance for journeys by rail, steamship, or of Massillon Lyceum " It contains the balloon. In case of journeys by steam- full and complete records of that organiship or balloon, one mile may be reckoned as three miles for the grant of the allowance under this paragraph."

The New York World has sent an agent to Massachusetts to stir up the atrikers and obtain material for affecting stories to be published in its Sunday magazine There was consternation among the conservative labor leaders at New Bedford, when Miss Minnie Rosen, the young woman in question, harangued a large meeting on Monday night. She mixed her metaphors and tickled the ears of her hearers by calling them slaves. Other speakers were more moderate in their remarks and counseled good order to hold the sympathy of the public.

The bill to abolish spring elections and providing for the election of all municipal officers at the fall elections, introduced by Mr. Bramley in the House on Wednesday, will probably be met with great opposition. Although the proposed measure is made operative throughout the state, it is thought that its real inspiration comes from a desire to extend the term of office of the present mayor of Cleveland, Robert E Mcat the same time, and the chances of the bill's passage are questionable.

Pugilists who do their fighting through the newspapers are likely to come to grief in due time if a certain movement started by the western sporting writers comes to a head The absurd press notices, fake chal-la view to foster and encourage the genlanges and laughable interviews which ius and literature of our country, enhave been sent out by the managers of hance the value of its liberties, and per-Corbett, Fitzsimmons, McCoy and other petuate the simplicity, purity and re- on Hill street. It was afterwards reactor pugilists, have not only disgusted the public, but has caused no end of protest from sporting editors who have been overrun with type written documents. At St. Louis the newspapers have decided to boycott not only the presistent talkers, but all other fighters who do not mean to fight.

The inter-state conference of coal operators and miners has fortunately terminated in an agreement upon a scale of screens, and has put an end to a contest | reading room, and for exercises in de- ton, Dr. Abel Underhill was substituted. strike. The conference has agreed that ment do adopt the following constitu- the discussion, it was by unanimous rehereafter miners and operators shall tion. meet in January every year to fix the scale of wages, and in view of the substantial advance secured this year, it is so be hoped that the entire agreement will be faithfully lived up to by both

#### THE MAINE AT HAVANA.

While the complimentary salute from the batteries of the United States battleship Maine has been answered in the same spirit from the fortress at Havana, the meaning of President McKinley's move is evidently fully understood by the [ Spanish authorities. The present adand unnatural policy which for more than two years has kept our warships away from Cuban ports, and now the first naval visitor at Havana is a battleship whose armor and guns mean fighting

The President's ground that the is a relief to American anxieties, and should there be other and fiercer outbreaks at Havana, we have at hand a vessel for the protection of our citizens.

A Literary Association of Sixty Years Ago.

"LECTURES AND DISPUTATIONS."

Professor E. A. Jones Compiles from the Hunking Wheeler, jr. J. G. Morse, Lyceum's Journal an Interesting Article Concerning an Organization Connected with Massillon's Early History.

The early citizens of Massillon seem to have taken a deep interest in educaestablish a Hellenic republic. Prepara-tional matters, and in everything that tions are already on foot for the revolu- had for its object the development of O. Filer, the mental powers, the improvement of Reuben McMillen, character, the promotion of the best interests of the community, and the advancement of civilization in general. In those early days library associations were | Z. S. Stocking. organized, a charter for the "Universal School of Massillon" was obtained, lecture courses were arranged, a reading Dr J. D. Weston, room was opened, a lyceum was organized which continued to discuss great and important questions for several Matthew Johnson. years and committees were appointed Elias Johnson, to have in charge the important departments of commerce, agriculture, manufacturing, finance and literature.

Some days ago I prepared for THE IN- John Hartness, DEPENDENT a short article in reference Anson Pease. to the Kendal Social Library from in- C. Demut formation obtained from the record book | Rev. S. B. Page, of that association. I have another vol. Thomas Goodman, ume of records that is equally interestunder paragraphs 345 to 354 will receive leather and bears upon the back and one zation from 1837 to 1846. It is interesting to turn the pages of this book and to read the thoughts expressed by the men who were the active workers in this community sixty years ago. We like to note the questions they discussed, the views held on various matters of public interest, the plans formed for the improvement of society, the interest manifested in the welfare of the city, and their patriotic devotion to the state and nation.

The origin of the lyceum is thus stated in the record: "A meeting of young men and others was held, pursuant to notice, at Hogan & Harris's Long room on the evening of Tuesday, November 7, 1837. for the purpose of establishing a debating society." Nineteen were present Parker Handy was elected president and Osee Welch secretary. Some time before, the citizens had obtained a charter for the establishment of a literary association denominated the "Universal School of Massillon." It was, at first, thought that with the consent of the trustees they might effect an organization under this charter, but, after due consideration, it was decided to appoint a committee of five to draft a constitution for the government of such an association as the meeting wished to have formed, and to report the same at a Kisson. Be this as it may, there are later date. The Rev. O. N. Sage, Hunkmany objections to the holding of all ing Wheeler, jr., Parker Handy, E. Fitzelections, municipal, state and national gerald and Samuel Pease were named as the committee. At the next meeting the committee reported and a constitution consisting of twelve articles was unanimously adopted. The preamble sets forth so clearly and forcibly the high and noble purposes of the organization that it is here reproduced in full:

"We, the subscribers, citizens and residents of Massillon and its vicinity, with publicanism of its government, sustain | moved to North street and converted into the onward progression of general sci- the dwelling which is now occupied by ence, promote philanthropy, and elevate Mrs. Hoch and family. to pre eminence American arts and American institutions; facilitate mutual of direction, in 1845-6, were held in the intercourse in life, extend our information on all subjects, introduce and maintain amity and good fellowship in every debate was the following: "Does Justice department of life, open wide the field require the immediate abolition of of inquiry and investigation to all classes | Slavery?" The Rev. G. W. Warner, of men, and place mind in the attitude to combat mind free of prejudice and error, do associate ourselves together for speakers with privilege to arrange auxiwages and uniformity in the matter of the purpose of establishing a library and liaries." In the absence of J. D. Weswhich might have ended in a prolonged bate and otherwise, and for our govern- Such intense interest was manifested in

> Article 1 fixes the name as The Massillon Lyceum.

which the operators have aplit in the the general dissemination of knowledge and Osee Welch the negative. The Folger was president; A. T. Skinner, past, and which seems to secure its per- | shall be the objects of this association."

and directors shall constitute a board of by a vote of 14 to 21. of direction, with power to regulate the time, place; and exercises of meetings, direct proper subjects for lectures or dis- be admitted to the American Union?" cussion, and select or invite members, citizens or strangers to deliver or take part in them. It shall meet at least once in each month for the transaction of bus ministration has put an end to the timid iness, and at the annual meeting report its proceedings for the past year, and the state of the concerns of the association."

Article 11 states the conditions of membership, the payment of an initiation there were only four votes upon that side. fee of two dollars and the signing of the constitution.

The by-laws required that meetings should be held twice every month. They Maine's errand is an amicable one is per- also prescribed a regular order of busifectly sound, for being at peace with ness; established a rigid system of par-Spain, our vessels have as good a right hamentary rules governing debates, in Cuban waters as those of Great Britain | and provided for the appointment of five or Germany. But the Maine's presence standing committees of three members each, to take into consideration and re- the following resolution was adopted: port at regular intervals upon the following subjects: Agriculture, commerce, on finance be instructed to report at as finance, manufactures and literature.

Article 8 of the by-laws reads as follows: "After debate on a subject has ranged state of the currency and to proceased, the president shall give his decision upon the merits of the argument, and refer to the house upon the merits capability of reasoning, and general inof the question, which shall be decided | tellectual strength of some individuals, by yeas and nays and entered upon the

The following names appear upon the records as members of the lyceum: Alexander McCulley, David Anderson, Samuel Pease, Abel Underhill, C. K. Skinner. Abel Underh Rev. Geo. W. Warner, S. S. Fuller, R J. Chestnutwood, J. G. Hogan, Parker Handy. Lob Goodspeed, G. D, Hine, Hiram B. Wellmau, Isaac H. Brown, P. C. Hull, Pomeroy Baldwin, H. B. Harris John W. McMillen, R. H. Folger, E. Fitzgerald, B. S. Hunter, James W. Underhill. James Duncan, Jacob Augustine, Daniel Brown. Thos. McCullough. H. C. Miller. Rev. O. N. Sage. Rev. John Swan. Dr. Perkins Wallace, H. B. Hurlburt. William Field, Augustus Handy, H. D. Williams, T. R. Butler. William P. Hart, Wm. M. Folger, Wyllis Griswold. Salmon Hunt. Robert Reilly. John B. Stow. Dr. William Bowen, J. Culbertson. Arvine Wales.

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Geo. S. Ghoble.

George Welker,

W. H. Bahney,

William Brown.

Dr. W. W. Browster.

Clement Russell,

D. Shepardson,

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J. V. C. Teller.

W. M. Culver.

D. K. Carter.

C. C. Hine,

Levi Rawson,

F. M. Keith.

John P. Worstell. R. C. Luce. G. W. Williams. G. L. Schuyler, James Allen. John H. Wheeler. W.F. Kent, William H. Burke. A. T. Skinner. John Mark, Alexander Bierce, J. S. Hill, W. M. Smith, W. F. Parrish. 3. M. Brewester, Zenas Snow, Well'gton Thompson, Hiram Miller, Delos Mansfield, Samuel McCaughey, Edward Rawson, George Seart. J. J. McCarty, J. C. Michener. James S. Drew. J. H. Klippard,

Dr. F. T. Hurxthal,

J. J. Hoffman. John Danner. Philip Cain, H. H. Watson. W. M. Caton T. R. Per Lee. Chas. D. Smith. L. L. Brown. Dwight Jarvis. Rev. C. Smith. Joseph Medill, George Swearingen, G. D. Shepherd, Peter Welker. John Tennis.

Reuben Partridge, Harper Partridge. James Kelly, It seems singular that so few of those who were prominent and influential citizens in the forties are represented through their descendants in the city today. So far as is known to the writer only eight of the number are living at the present time. These are our esteem ed fellow citizens: R. H. Folger, A. T Skinner, Clement Russell and W. M. Culver: James W. Underhill, John Danner and Thomas Williams, of Canton. and Joseph Medill, the well-known editor of the Chicago Tribune

At the first meeting, after the adoption of the constitution, held Nov. 13, 1837, H. Wheeler, jr., was elected president: Samuel Pease, vice-president; E. Fitzerald, secretary; Parker Handy, treasurer; Alexander McCully, J. G. Hogan, S. S. Fuller, Chas. K. Skinner, J. D. Weston

The Lyceum was organized and the earlier meetings were held in what was then known as Hogan and Harris's "Long Room." This was located in the present Harsh block, northwest corner of Main and Erie streets, over a storeroom then occupied by Hogan and Harris.

It was used for public meetings and there the first Episcopal services in the town were held. Most of the lectures were given and many of the discussions were held in the new Presbyterian church. This was built on the site of the present second Presbyterian church

Some of the last meetings of the board

old Bank of Massillon. The first question chosen for public Samuel Pease, Dr. J. D. Weston and Osee Welch were selected as the "leading on the effects of a tariff on the manufacquest, continued through three evenings. The second week R. H. Folger, Parker Handy, the Rev. O. N. Sage and Dr. Per-Article 2 states its object in the fol- kins Wallace supported the affirmative, lowing words: "Lectures and disputa- and Julius G. Morse, Alex. McCully, tions on all subjects calculated to pro- John B. Stow and B. Lemoin the negamote the advancement and elevation of tive. The debate was closed on Thurs and the culture of silk by legislative ac-The agreement reached by the science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1838, when the Rev. tion?"

Among the other subjects for debate were the following: "Ought Texas to An affirmative vote was given. "Would the condition of society and of woman be benefited by placing the two sexes on an upon the merits of the argument in the a year or two later that the special act of affirmative, but when submitted to the legislature was passed under which house upon the merits of the question the "Massillon Union School" was or-· Ought Congress to sustain the admin istration in its present course relative to the currency?" This was proposed March 13, 1839 and it awakened so much interest the discussion was continued through several evenings.

It was finally decided upon the merits of the question, in the negative, by a vote of 7 to 22. About the same time "Resolved, That the standing committee early a day as convenient what in their opinion is the cause of the present depose what in their opinion would be a remedy." "Is the volition of thought, consequent upon the peculiar shape of the cranium or any peculiar organization of the brain?" was discussed May 15, 1838 and continued for another evening.

I have space for only a few of the remaining subjects-"Has the Indian race in North America been benefited or improved by the attempts of the whites to ameliorate their condition?" Is it the the duty of every person to abstain wholly from the use of intoxicating drinks, except as a medicine?" When the decision of this question upon its merits was referred to the house, there was but one vote in the negative. 'Have the North American Indians greater cause of complaint against the government and citizens of the United States than tee Negroes.' 'Have the friends of the national administration a better claim to the title Democratic party than their opponents? Does nature independent of revelation furnish conclusive evidence of a future state of existence?" "Ought persons to be prohibited by legislative enactments from practicing as physicians or surgeons unless authorized by a board of examin ers constituted by law?" (Oct., 1841.) Ought bachelors to be subjected to a special tax for the support of the destitute?" (Feb., 1842) This question was decided in the affirmative, both on the weight of the argument and the merits | Palmas, facing the northeast trade of the question. "Ought British cruisers to be allowed the right of searching, upon the high seas, vessels sailing under the colors of the United States, suspecte of being engaged in the slave trade?

From the above it will be seen that the topics selected for discussion covered a wide range of subjects. These were timely and educational in their character. A deep interest was awakened in the community and the meetings were well attended.

Among the lecturers before the Lyceum may be mentioned—The Rev. O. N. Sage upon the subject of "Mental! Improvement:" Dwight Jarvis, Esq., upon "The Early Settlement of Ohio;" Dr. Abel Underhill upon "Female Influence and Female Education."

It is interesting to note that on December 13th, 1837, B. G. Buswell, Esq., of Massachusetts, gave a lecture upon the following subject: "The Culture of the Sugar Beet and the Manufacture of Beet Sugar." At the close of the lecture the thanks of the association were voted to Mr. Buswell for his eloquent and able lecture, and the secretary was instructed to request a copy of the same for publi-

cation in the Massillon newspapers. In 1841, Dr. A. Underhill, Dr. Wm. Bowen, James W. Underhill, Dr. F. T. Hurxthal, George Miller, and John Mark, were appointed to deliver orations,

lectures, or essays at their option. As an illustration of the work of the committees reference may be made to the year 1845. In January of that year the following committees were appointed: On finance—Samuel Pease, Salmon Hunt, John Danner; on commerce-John Culbertson, Chas. D. Smith, Pomeroy Baldwin; on agriculture—Arvine Wales, Thos W. McCullough, Wyllis Griswold; on literature—R. H. Folger, Dr. Perkins Wallace, A. H. Coon; on manufactures-A. T. Skinner, C. C. Hine, Wm. H.

At the same time the committee on finance was instructed to report to the Lyceum on Tuesday evening, Feb. 4th, upon the "expediency of the legislature of the state of Ohio adopting a banking system predicated on the stock of the

The committee on commerce was instructed to report, at the same meeting, upon the influence of commerce on civ-

The committee on agriculture on such agricultural subjects as they may think The committee on literature, upon the

benefits arising from an international The committee on manufactures was instructed to report, at the same time,

turing interests. At an earlier meeting (1840); the committee on agriculture was instructed to report to the Lyceum the probable effect on the farming interest of a system of high duties upon such fabrics imported from abroad as come in competition with the manufactures of our own country. In 1838 the committee on agriculture considered the question. "Ought Ohio to encourage the growth of the silkworm

president decided the merits of the argu- vice-president; John Danner, secretary; Article 3 specifies the usual officers ment in favor of the affirmative. On C. D. Smith, treasurer. The last board and five directors to be chosen annually, referring the merits of the question to of directors consisted of the Rev. C. Article 8 provides that "the officers the house it was decided in the negative Smith, Salmon Hunt, George Miller, Samuel Pease and Dr. William Bowen. The Massillon Lyceum exerted an ex-

cellent influence upon the community. The discussions, lectures, investigations and general exercises were favorable to the cause of popular education, and served to prepare the way for the equality in respect to civil rights and establishment of the public school supduties?" This question was decided ported by general taxation. It was only

> ganized. The records of the Massillon Lyceum constitute a bright page in the early history of Massillon.

E. A. Jones.

THE CLEANLY ISLANDS.

Region Where the Very Dust Is of Cleansing Nature.

Fortunate islands, the ancients called them. What measure of good fortune they associated with cleanliness is indeed uncertain. From the duration and elaboration of their baths one might presume that the Romans—not the holy, but the pagan Romans-placed it at least a degree above godliness. Yet some influence surely must have traversed the law of heredity, for they scarcely seem to have transmitted this disposition to their posterity.

Whether, however, the title of Fortunate, given to these islands, had or had not a reference to this quality, which we place proverbially only next to godliness, the quality itself is strikingly conspicuous. The islands had other names. The Hesperides is the most familiar of them, and in Tenerife the original "dragon" tree may be seen beneath which that sleepless dragon coiled himself who acted as watchdog for the maidens guarding the golden apples. Today we call "golden apples" oranges —in the language of the country, narangas. We have changed the name of the islands, too, and call them the Canaries. No canary birds seem to live in them, however, and there is a notion that the name is derived ultimately from "canis," the dogs, especially those of the island of Lanzerote, the most easterly, being famous. The flora of the islands are subtropical, with palms (is not the chief town of the Grand Canary Las Palmas?), bananas, eucalyptus, cactus and the aforesaid "golden apples." Luxuriant vegetation is the glory of Tenerife; a climate wonderfully equable is common to them all, but Grand Canary is especially blessed in its dryness and freshness.

At Orotava are more grandeur of gardens and spacious hotels. At Las winds, are the constant fresh \(^{\chi}\) ze off the sea, accommodation as comas could be desired and the quality of cleanliness in its superlative degree. Where all is so dry it is difficult to be dirty and a positive triumph of innate instincts over circumstances on the part of the proletariat that so many of them continue to be filthy. The Englishman may even be astonished at the dirt. as he will be astonished at his own cleanliness. The astonishment is the greater because the place is pervaded by a fine dust, but the very dust is of a cleanly, almost of a cleansing, nature. It lies in powder on the banana groves and palm trees. After a country drive it may make a dark coat look as if its wearer's profession had to do with a flour mill, but a shower of rain sweeps it off the foliage, and a shake and a brush of the garment, and they are all more spotless than they were before.-Pall Mall Gazette.

## Footgear and Gloves.

Woman is largely judged by her extremities, by the way she dresses her feet and hands, and so she should have a care in selecting footgear and gloves, says a New York fashion writer. At no time are her feet so conspicuous as when in evening attire, unless she happens to be a member of the Rainy Day club. Evening slippers are very smart at present. Two general styles prevail for house and full dress wear-the single strap or the double strap crossed and the laced low shoes. Black satin slippers elaborately embroidered in cut jet are very swell and make even the clumsiest foot look slim and dainty. Possessors of feet broader than or longer than four should, when possible, stick to a black evening slipper, for the light colors make large feet look larger. Silver and gold buckles, jeweled butterflies and bugs, gold and silver embroi deries, fluffy bows and rosettes all look too beautiful for anything in the shoe man's window, but they are intended for little feet. Women with big feet can apply philosophy to evening slippers as well as to everything else in life. For everything you miss you gain something else, and the gain in this case is immediate, for it is in dollars and cents. All of these gimeracks on slippers make them just that much more expensive.

The proper thing to wear with ball gowns and other elaborate frocks is a slipper made from the piece of the gown worn unless it happens to be a striped or flowered brocade. Then a slipper made of the prevailing tint should be worn. Bronze slippers are much used for house wear again, and they are pretty and inexpensive too. What woman does not remember her childish joy over her first pair of bronze slippers?

Rival Citisens. Johnny's face was smeared with dirt and tears, there was a lump on his left cheek, and one knee projected through a jagged rent in his trousers leg.

"Johnny, Johnny," exclaimed his mother, "bave you been fighting again?" "Yep," he replied. "Me an that boy from New York had a scrap. He looks sel with sparkling water and seal is wors'n I do, too, you bet."

"You'll break my heart, you willful boy! What were you fighting about?" "About the jography of Chicago. I said it hadn't any bluffs, an he said it science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening, Jan. 4, 1000, when the first science and the arts; increase veneration day evening and the arts; increase vener was all bluff, an I chugged him."-

## ALCONTRACT SIGNED

Mine Officials and Operators Affix Their Signatures.

IT GOES INTO EFFECT APRIL 1.

The Nest Interstate Convention Will Be Held In Pittsburg In January, 1890, to Settle the Scale-Agreement of Chicago Meeting Rutified.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The following is the contract between the operators of the competitive coal fields and the United Mine Workers of America. which has been signed:

"The following agreement made and entered into in joint interstate convention in this city (Chicago), Jafr. 26, 1898, by and between the operators and miners of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Western Pennsylvania, known as the Pittsburg thin vein district, witnesseth:

"First-That an equal price for mining screened lump coal shall hereafter form a base scale in all of the districts above named, excepting the state of Illinois, the block coal district of Indiana, to pay 10 cents per ton over that of Hocking Valley, Western Pennsylvánia and Indiana bituminous district, and that the price of pick run of mine coal m Hocking Valley and Western Pennsylvania shall be determined by the actual percentage of screenings passing through such screen as is hereinafter pro vided, it being understood and agree that screened or run of mine coal may be mined and paid for on the above basis at the option of the operator, according to market requirements, and the operators of Indiana bituminous shall also have like option of mining run of mine or screen coal.

"Second—That the screen hereby adopted for the state of Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and the bituminous district of Indiana, shall be uniform in size, 6 feet wide, by 12 feet long, built of flat or akron shaped, of not less than five-eighths of 1 inch surface, with 11/4 inches between bars, free from obstructions, and that such screenings shall rest upon a sufficient number of bearings to hold the bars in proper position.'

Third-That the block coal district of Indiana may continue the use of the diamond screen of the present size and pattern with the privile of run of mine coal, the mining price of which shall be determined by the actual screenings, and that the state of Illinois shall be absolutely upon a run of mine system and shall be paid for on that basis.

"Fourth-That an advance of 10 cents per ton of 2,000 pounds for pick mined screened coal shall take effect in Western Pennsylvania, Hocking Valley and Indiana bituminous districts on April 1, 1898, and that Grape Creek, Ills., and the bituminous district of Indiana, shall pay 40 cents per ton, run of mine coal, from and after same date, based upon 66 cents per ton screened, in Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and the Indiana bituminous district, same to continue in force until the expiration of this con-

tract. "Fifth-That on and after April 1 1898, the eight-hour work day, with eight hours pay, consisting of six days per week, shall be in effect in all of the districts represented and the uniform wages for day labor shall be paid the different classes of labor in the fields named and that internal differences in any of the states or districts, both as to prices or conditions, shall be referred to the states or districts affected for adjustment.

"Sixth—That the same relative prices and conditions between machine and pick mining that have existed in the different states shall be continued during the life of this contract, Seventh-That present prices for

pick and machine mining and all classes of day labor shall be maintained in the competitive states and districts until April 1, 1898.

Eighth-That the United Mine Workers' organization, a party to this contract, do hereby further agree to afford all possible protection to the trade and to the other parties hereunto against any untair compedition resulting from a

failure to maintain scale rates. "Ninth-That this contract shall remain in full force and effect from April 1, 1898, to April 1, 1899, and that our uext annual interstate convention shall convene in the city of Pittsburg on the third Tuesday in January, 1899. Adopted.'

This is signed by miners' officials and representative of the operators.

FROM LINCOLN'S OLD SPRING.

Water to Be Used In Christening Battleship Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 29.-When next month the battleship Kentucky lides from the ways at Newport News her prow will not be bathed in champagne, nor in good old whisky. The



miss christing bradlet. Will Pour Water, Not Wine Whisky, on the Kentucky.

fair sponsor Miss Christine Bradley. will uncork a beautifully embellished

pilver vesse, of pure water. On the farm in La Rue county, where Abraham ...ncolu was born, there is an unfailing spring of cold, crystal water. where in bovhood the great emancipator was wont to slake his thirst, using gourd or oak leaf dipper.

The idea is to have a committee form ally visit the spring and fill a gilver yeswith appropriate ceremonies, to be need by Miss Bradley.

Germans Murdered by Chine LONDON, Jan. 29.—It is announced in a special dispatch from Shanghai that four German soldiers have be

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His Resolution Went Through In the Senate.

SOME REPUBLICANS HELPED HIM.

All Effects to Amend the Resolution Voted Down by Majorities Ranging From 5 to 29-Party Lines Broken-A Warm Debate Preceded.

Washington, Jan. 29.—After a debate, animated at all times and occasionally acrimonious, which occupied the greater part of this week, the senby the decisive vote of 47 to 32, has passed the Teller concurrent resolution. The resolution is a practical reaffirmstion of that of Stanley Matthews in in 1878, and is as follows:

"That all the bonds of the United States issued, or authorized to be issued, under the said acts of congress herein before recited, are payable, principal



MENATOR HENRY M. PELLER. Senate.

and interest, at the option of the govexament of the United States, in silver dollars of the coinage of the United States, containing 4121/2 grains each of standard silver; and that to restore to its coinage such silver coins as a legal tender in payment of said bonds, principal and interest, is not in violation of the public faith nor in derogation of the rights of the public creditor."

All efforts to amend the resolution were voted down by majorities ranging from 5 to 29. Mr. Lodge's gold standard substitute being defeated by the latter majority. The vote on the Lodge

The events of the day leading up to the final vote were full of interest and importance. It was a field day for the erators of the senate, no less than 25 great political parties for the contest of

When the voting began it was evident that party lines were being broken on both sides of the chamber, but it was on the substitute offered by Mr. Lodge (Mass.) that the most decided break oc anal passage of the resolution some Reter (Mon.). Chandler (N. H.), Clark (Wy.), Pritchard (N. C.), Shoup (Ida.), Warren (Wy.) and Wolcott (Colo.), voted for the resolution, because as Mr. Wolcott announced they did not believe the resolution committed those who coinage of silver.

The Nelson amendment was first preenated, declaring that it is the duty of the government of the United States, under existing laws, to maintain the parity in value of its gold andsilver money. so that the dollar of the one metal shall for all monetary purposes always be equal in value to the dollar of the other metal.

It was tabled—42 to 37.

"That all the bonds of the United States, issued or authorized to be issued ander the said acts of congress hereinbefore recited, are payable, principal and interest, in gold coin or its equivaient; and that any other payment, withent consent of the creditor, would be in violation of the public faith and in derogation of his rights.'

It was beaten directly-24 to 53. Mr. Quay now came forward with 1

now amendment as follows: "Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert: That all the bonds er other obligations of the United States insued or authorized to be issued under the said acts of congress hereinbefore recited should be paid, principal and in-

ment, to go at the close of the resolutions, as follows: "That under no circumstances will the principal or interest of the public debt be paid in depreciated currency or in any money other than the best money of the world."

Tabled—43 to 80. Mr. Foraker proposed an amendment sermerly suggested by Mr. Spooner, who was absent, as follows: "That it is declared to be the financial policy of to United States that until there shall have been obtained an international greement with the leading commercial tions of the world for the free coinage of silver, which agreement the United States is hereby further pledged se promote, the faith, honor and credit the United States are solemnly edged to preserve the existing gold medard; and all silver and paper our-

signey shall be medicined at a parity lakes; colder with gold, and all obligations of the city winds.

United States shall be maintained inviolably at the present standard." Tabled -- 44 to 33.

Mr. Hoar presented the same amendment as the last, proposing it as an additional section instead of a separate declaration. This was tabled, the vote being the same as on the Foraker amendment.

Mr. Caitery proposed an amendment as follows:

"Provided that if, at the time of payment of the principal or interest of the bonds, the market value of silver is not at par with gold, at the ratio of 16 to 1, the principal and interest shall be paid in gold or silver at the option of the creditor." The amendment was tabled without a yea and nay vote.

This disposed of amendments and the decks were cleared for the final vote on the Teller resolution. It passed-47

The vote in detail was as follows:

Ye is—Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Buticr, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clav, Cockrell, Daniel, Gray, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones (Ark.), Kenney, Kyle, Lindsay, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mantle, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Martin, Mulls, Mitchell, Money, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Mills, Mitchell, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Mills, Mitchell, Mi Morgan, Murphy, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pet-tus, Pritchard, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Tillman, Turpie, Turner, Vest, Warren, White and Wol-

Nays—Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Caffery, Cullom, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Galtinger, Gear, Hale, Hanna. Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, Mo-Bride, McMillan, Mason, Morrill, Nelson, Penrose, Perkins, Platt, (Conn.) Platt, (N. Y.) Quay, Sewell, Thurston. Wellington, Wetmore and Wilson—32.

The pairs throughout the voting were

Turley with Deboe, Faulkner with Elkins, Gorman with Frye, Jones (Nev.) with Prector and Walthall with Spooner. The first named would in each case have voted with those sustaining the resolution and against all amendments. while the last named would have voted against the resolution and for the amendments.

CHURCH TO GET DAMAGES.

The House Passed the Bill to Pay M. E Publishing Company.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The bill to pay the book publishing company of the Methodist Episcopal Church South \$288, 000 for damages sustained by that corporation during the war, after encountering an obstinate filibuster which staved off a vote on two previous private bill days, was piloted to its passage in the house by Mr. Cooper (Tex.), who was in charge of the measure.

The friends of the measure proved themselves in an overwhelming ma jority and the opposition finding it could hold out no longer reluctantly yielded. The vote on the bill was 188

#### President Back In Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—The president and party have arrived here on their return trip from New York. The president was accompanied by Mr. Porter, his private secretary, and Mr. Cridler. assistant secretary of state.

#### SOCIETY MAN ARRESTED.

Accused of Trying to Kiss and Ther Slapping His Cook.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.-H. Maitland Kersey, formerly the agent of the White Star line in this city, and who is now the head of a Klondike mining syndi- to his room. Boyce talked so strongly cate, composed of well known European of his friendship for the president, that



The Society Man Accused of Trying to Kiss His Cook.

capitalists, has been arrested in a suit for \$5,000 damages for alleged assault brought against him by Julie Gleason, his former cook.

The arrest took place at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, where Mr. Kersey had gone to attend the Manufacturers' association banquet. He gave bail in \$500 cash, and took part in the dinner. Mr.

Kersey's lawyers deny the complaint. The allegation is that Mr. Kersey attempted to kiss his cook and that because she prevented him, he slapped her

in the face. Kersey is a society swell.

HE WAS HIRED TO KILL.

Claim of the Mysterious Man Who Demanded \$5,000 From Madill.

St. Louis, Jan. 29.—The case of the young man who was arrested in an attempt to hold up President Madill of the Union Trust company last Tuesday and secure \$5,000 at the point os a pis

tol, is as mysterious as ever. A letter, which was handed to Mr. Madill by 'he man at the time the attempt, has been made public for the \$1,000 was for my fee." first time.

In it the man said he had been offered \$5,000 to kill Madill, by those who would profit by his death. He offered to spare Madill's life, if he would give Campbell tnen demanded a receipt, him \$5,000. If he didn't get it, he said he would kill him.

The wouldbe robber, who still refuses to give his right name, exactly duplicated the performance of the mysterious man who robbed President Moffatt of the Denver bank, on March 29. 1889, of \$31,000.

Senator With Boyce.

Campbell Did Not Connect the

HE PRODUCED \$1,750 IN CASH.

This, He Said, Figured In His Transactions With the New York Man-May Use It to Push a Damage Suit-Testimony of Otia.

Columbus, Jan. 29.-The two star witnesses in the alleged senatorial bribery investigation, examined by the senate investigating committee, were Representative J. C. Otis of Hamilton county, who claims to have been offered a bribe to vote for Senator Hanna, and Thomas C. Campbell, attorney, who acted as the legal representative of Otis. There was nothing in the testimony of either witness to even indicate that Senator Hanna, Major Dick or Major Rathbone had any connection with General Boyce, through whom it is claimed the alleged negotiations were conducted. In fact, Attorney Campbell, who came all the way from New York to testify, took occasion to say he did not believe Senator Hanna was interested in or knew Boyce.

Moreover, Poyce himself had declared to Campbell that he did not know Mr. Hanna and that if his personal wishes were consulted he would prefer to see him defeated. Campbell produced a roll of bills in denominations of \$100 and \$50, aggregating \$1,750, which he claimed Boyce had paid to him during the negotiations. Campbell said if Boyce returned to Hamilton county he would be glad to return the money, otherwise he would use part of it in pushing a suit for damages against a Columbus paper.

Representative Otis testified that he had met Henry Harrison Boyce in Cincinnati first on the evening of Jan. 7 last at his room, 226, in the Gibson House, having in the morning received a telephone message from a man at the Great Southern hotel in Columbus, who said he was General Boyce, that he had come on from New York and wished to see him on important business. Mr. Otis told him to come to Cincinnati. Boyce said that he represented J. Pierpont Morgan of New York, that Mr. Morgan had great interests in Ohio, which he desired to have looked after, and that he was also a friend of Mr. C. C. Shane of New York. During the conversation the senatorial matter was touched upon and Boyce asked as to Mr. Hanna's chances to which Otis replied that he did not think them very good. Boyce said that that night or the following night Mr. Shane was to have an interview with President Mc-Kinley; that both the president and Mr. Shane were interested in the Ohio situation, especially the former. Personally, Boyce said, he did not care who put last year being officially reported at was elected. After telling Mr. Otis a 9,652,680 tons, and the consumption in number of other stories, after the same fashion, they separated with an understanding that another meeting would be held the following afternoon, Saturday, at 2 o'clock. Then it was that Mr. Otis secured Campbell's services.

Campbell did not believe him. Otis left. Then he asked Boyce directly what he wanted.

Boyce finally said he had come to help Hanna in his election. Campbell said to him. "Did you not come from the president?" to which Boyce replied that he had, but in which Mr. Campbell declared that he took no belief. Boyce at last said he would pay Otis \$2,500. Campbell replied that he did not think Otis would accept any proposition. This was on Saturday night. On Sunday Campbell told Boyce Otis would not listen to the proposition. Boyce replied that the amount offered

was a munificent one, as Hanna already had 74 votes without Droste or Lane. Boyce said that he wanted to show what he could do and besides there might be a slip, and he wanted to get the vote of Otis and Droste and Lane. Boyce further said that he wanted

Campbell for his attorney, to win men over, and would give him \$1,000, which he did. Later, he saw Boyce again, and told him that he thought \$2,500 was beneath

the dignity of a representative, and that he ought to have \$10,000. Boyce replied that this was nonsense—that he had already secured four votes at an average of \$1,500 each, and another for \$600. Boyce then said he would give \$3.500, \$1,750 at that time and \$1,750 the next day, upor arrival at Columbus. Boyce then wrote a telegram, directed to President McKinley, and reading: "For the best interests of Ohio and the Republican party, I will cast my vote for M. A. Hanna for senator for the short and long terms

This telegram Campbell was to submit to Otis and if the latter accepted the proposition he was to sign it and the telegram to be returned to Boyce, who was to forward it to the president. Mr. Campbell carried the telegram awa. with him and showed it to Jared Bliss. who volunteered to copy the telegram and sign Otis' name to it, which was done. At the next meeting the telegram, or rather a copy of it, was shown to Boyce, and he was told that Otis had finally consented and that there was the telegram.

Campbell said to Boyce: "You will now pay \$1,750, and \$1,750 when you reach Columbus," whereupon Boyce counted \$750 more. Campbell said: "This does not make \$1,750." Boyce replied: "You have already got \$1,000, and this makes the \$1,750."

Campbell replied: "I thought the

Boyce replied that he could not give more at that time, as he could not let it cost him more than \$3,500 at that time. although Mr. Otis was to get \$6,500 more when Hanna was elected. Mr. which Boyce did not care to give, although a receipt was finally written for the \$1,750 already paid, and the additional \$1,750 that was to be paid on reaching Columbus. Campbell said he would take the \$750 and the receipt and show it to Otis, to which Boyce agreed.

The plan was that Campbell and Boyce and Ctis were to meet the next morning, at 9 o'clock, and come to Fair, preceded by light snow on the Columbus. Boyce did not show up, and lakes; colder; fresh to brick morthwest-ort a later train than had at first been only winds.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE.

Smuary Brings Increase In Business, but Not In Prices.

> New York. Jan. 29.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade, issued today, says: The first month of the new year has brought rather more increase in business, but less improvement in prices than was expected. With payments through clearinghouses 7.2 per cent larger than in 1892, and probably the largest ever known in any month, with railroad earnings 11.2 per cent larger than the best of past years. the fact that prices are very low only shows more clearly the increase in quantities of products sold.

orders, even at present prices; indeed the competition of manufacturers seeking orders alone prevents a rise. Most of them have all they can manage, many working night and day, and one great steel concern running on Sunday, but the works not yet filed with orders are seeking contracts at as low prices as have ever been made, indicating that even these are not entirely unprontable. The settlement of wages on a 10 per cent advance, April 1, for 200,000 ccal miners of the central region, with other changes, will tend toward a larger demand for products of all kinds, though also toward some increase in cost of manufacture. Wheat has been conspicuous, rising

because prices do not much improve nor as yet the demand for goods, though both are helped by the closing of many finlis, but largely because the manufacturer, and workers have considered too httle the rapidly growing production at

at an advance of 20 per cent over last year, and the large mills are constantly buying wool, even at current high prices, which implies great confidence in the tuture, presumably based on quent of late, even by mills supposed to dence mill appears to have taken 250,000 week. Sales at three of the chief mar-120 were domestic, against 36,547,600 last year, of which 23,397,300 were

domestic. larger orders for finished products which crown many works beyond their capacity, aithough some others are still in the market and keeping prices down. Pigiron is steady, except that Lessemer at rutsburg is 10 cents lower, the outthis country, unsold stocks considered, 9,625,383 tons, against 9,601.504 in the largest previous year, which was 9, 394,932 tons m 1892.

Failures for the year have been 342 in the United States, against 331 last year,

SUIT AGAINST DUN'S AGENCY.

4 West Virginia Lumber Company Claims Injury From Rating.

for \$150,000 has been filed here in the circuit court by actorneys of the Alexander Lumber company against R. G. Dun & Co. The bill of particulars alleg is that the credit and standing of the Alexander company was injured the amount sued for by the alleged false and malicious rating issued on Jan. 27. 1897, by the Dun Mercantile agency, in which it was aid among other things, that the plant was built on an extravagant plan, was ta'ily managed, future prospects clouded, credit impaired and

The bill of particulars is signed by county. An attachment was served upon the Wheeling branch of the Dun agency.

Wedded His Former Wife.

CAIRO, Ills., Jan. 29.-J. F. Parker, a pension attorney, has been married to his tormer wife, Mrs. Delia Parker, from whom he secured a divorce in the circuit court here on Dec. 3 last.

## PITH OF THE NEWS,

Some of the Happenings of the Whole World Given Briefly.

Paris-The Belgian King Leonold has bought the American cup defender Mayflower.

PORT-AU-PRINCE-Rumored that Germany wants United States Minister Powell recalled, owing to Lenders in-

trike cities. PEKIN-China will propose that Russia and England divide the proposed

LONDON-The eastern situation was discussed between the Marquis of Salisbury and United States Ambassador Hay, befor the latter started for Egypt. ODESSA-Russia may force Turkey to accept Prince George of Greece as gov-

Victoria-The steamer Colona, for Alaska, sank. Her 225 passengers were

ernor of Crete.

Mrs. Hobart entertained President and Mrs. McKimey at a brilliant reception last evening

WASHINGTON-President Dole much enjoyed the Cossack drill of the Sixth calvary at Ft. Myers.

ROME—The pope will celebrate mass at St. Peter's cathedral on Feb. 13, the

San Francisco - Governor Budd granted a respite pending arrival of documents on the sanity of Trainwrecker\_Worden, sentenced to be hanged Pobella and standard which THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Rumber of Bills Introduced In House. Senate Did Nothing. Columbus, Jan. 29.—The following

bills were introduced in the house: By Smith (Delaware), providing for county local option. By Ross, to tax tranchises.

Piper, to define and suppress trusts. By Allen, to punish members of tī usts.

By Smith (Delaware), providing that agricultural statistics taken by the asssors be returned to the secretary of

the state board of agriculture. By Kemper, providing that Bates' Annotated Statutes be made the author-

ized edition. Ly Wiley, to prevent labor strikes.

The senate did no business. SUICIDE THE POLICE THEORY.

They Do Not Believe Klein Was Shot by Two Highwaymen.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.-C. Klein, president of the Klein Flour and Feed comcompany, who was found on the street fatally shot last night, is still alive, and adheres to lis statement that he was assaulted by two inghwaymen on the

reet, robbed and then shot. The police as tenaciously cling to the theory of suicide. No new develop ments have been made tending to clear the mystery. The flour and feed comparty made an assignment, giving assers at \$1,000, liabilities \$29,000. It was this basiness embarrassment which gives weight to the theory of suicide.

PROBING THE TRUSTS.

A Legislative Committee In Session a

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29.—The senate commuttee appointed to investigate trusts in Ohio has been in session at the Forest City House. The trusts to be stoves, fire insurance, sugar and milk.

Twenty-one subpoenas were served. The members of the committee present are: E. H. Valentine, C. D. Wight man, Oscar Sheppard, Alfred M. Col en and J. J. Sullivan.

FRIENDLY VISITS.

Spain So Speaks of the Cruises of the Warships.

Madrid, Jan. 29 .- A semi-official to Cuba says: "This necessitates Captain General 1 a 100 sending a battle-ship, as well as the cruiser Vizcaya, to visit American ports.

"The visit will be the occasion for festivities in honor of the Spanish sailors and the different commanders will exchange visits. The forthcoming Neuralgia radically cures in from 1 to 3

Ordered Ruiz's Execution.

HAVANA, Jan. 29 -The Spanish au thorities say that among papers which tell into the hands of the troops when Aranguren was killed was his diary, showing that he ordered the execution of Lieutenant Colonel Ruiz.

THE EARNINGS INCREASED.

Good Reports Issued by Officials of th Pennsylvania. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—The state-

company for the month of December

Pennsylvania ratiroad, lines directly operated. For month of December, gross carnings, increase, \$425,500; exenses, \$339,400; net earnings, increase.

For 12 months, gross carnings, in crease, \$2,125,600, expenses, decrease, \$201,700; net earnings. increase, \$2,-

Lines west of Pittsburg and Erie, directly operated. For month of I 6 ember, gross earnings, increase, \$894,700, expenses, increase, \$463,900; net earn-

For 12 months, gross earnings, increase, \$2,051,500: expenses, decrease, \$113,500; net earnings, mcrease, \$2,-

SPECIAL CUBAN EMISSARY.

President McKinley Will Appoint One to

New York, Jan. 29.—President Mc Kinley has decided to send to Havana a special emissary whose duty will be the distribution of the supplies sent there by the central Cuban relief committee of this city.

Crime of a Fiend.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 29 .- Mrs. Johanna Ruminsky of 94 Ohio street, Allegheny City, was strangled to death about 10:30 Thurs lay night. Her murderer, not content with his flendish work, saturated the body with kerosene oil and ignited it. When found early yesterday morning the Lody was completely roasted. A quarrel between the dead woman and her husband, Michael Ruminsky, early Thursday night and his sudden disappearance since the discovery of the dead body of his wife, have convinced the Allegheny police authoraties that he is the murderer.

Great English Strike Ended.

mittees, representing the federated employers and the alked trades unions, has resulted in a ballot accepting the employers terms. Arrangements have been completed for a simultaneous resumption of work in all the federated workshops on Monday next.

Jurors Rebuked a Lawyer.

Luetgert trial were exerting and unusual. The jurors became exasperated at the tactics of Attorney Harmou, the

FRANKFORE, Ky., Jan. 29.—The reso-

lution requesting the immediate resignation of United States Senator Wilham Lindsay came up in the Kentucky senate, having been passed by the

## MOTHER'S MISTARE

How carefully mother guards the

crets of her boys and girls. At night as

she carefully tucks the bed clother

Massillen Methers Make It But with → Light There Need Be None. (

around them she chides and warns that mother will be angry if they repeat last night's offense, softly saying to herself, it is only a habit but I must break them of it. This is mother's mistake. The children cannot help it and sweet clean dry beds can be the resting place of every child when it is understood that the cause is not a habit but a weakness that can be cured. Active life of the little ones tends to weaking the kidneys and weak kidneys means inability to retain the urine This is a condition not a habit and should have the same prompt attention you would give to the marked symptoms of any disease One Doan's Kidney Pill taken twice a day and as bed time will strengthen the kidneys of a child and soon there will be no cause to scold for the so-called habit will promptly disappear. Here's a grateful mother that adds her endorsement to our words. Mrs. Wm. McBride, 282 W. Bloom St , Mansfield, Ohio, says "My little boy when he was eight weeks old. was attacked with rheumatism. He recovered from the unmediate effects of it, but ever since he has had weak kidneys. This has given us a great deal of trouble both during the night and the day on account of the inability to retain the urine. It apparently had the effect of making him feel poorly, for his appetite flagged and he did not thrive We were auxious to get something which might him, so when we noticed more than one account of Doan's Kidney Pills curing such cases we got him a box. We gave him one pill at a time and were very much pleased that he was taking a turn for the better and showed steady improvement. Under the influence of the power of retention come back We investigated are wire mills, vapor can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for this distressing weakness in children.' Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all

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as follows:

of the Resolution Passed by the

amendment was, yeas, 24; nays, 53.

senators embracing the opportunity to speak upon the subject under discussion. That the debate was interesting was attested by the attendance in the galleries. which were crowded throughout the day: and that it was important was evidenced by the statements of several of the speakers that the discussion was but the preliminary alignment of the

curred. On the Republican side Mr. Allison (Ia.) and Mr. Burrows (Mich.) did not answer to their names on that rollcall, and many of the Republicans voted directly against it. Upon the publicans who supported McKinley and the St. Louis platform in 1896, like Car-

supported it to the free and unlimited

Then came the Lodge amendment, as

terest, in the money that is the highest money of the world." Tabled-47 to 31. Mr. Hoar offered another new amend-

NOT KNOWN BY HANNA

Nor is there any disposition to refuse

cents for the week, with 51% cents for May options. So heavy an outgo with wheat over 51 per bushel, and with corn exports for the four weeks equaling the extraordinary movement of last year, discloses the strength of foreign demand even better than current accounts of disappointing shipments from Aigentina and poor prospects in Russia. The cotton manufacture is in more difficulty than any other, not merely

the south. The woolen manufacture is doing well, fine worsted goods having opened larger orders than are publicly reported. Suca purchases of wool have been frebe supplied far ahead, and one Provipounus worsted wool at Wheeling this kets nave been 8,080,100 pounds and for tour weeks, .0,421,070, of which 21,367.

The iron manufacturer is getting

Campbell said Boyce and Otis came and 34 in Canada, against 57 last year

WHEELING, Jan. 29.-A damage suit

advased creditors to obtain security if pos-ible. Henry Warden of Pittsburg, president of the lumber company. The company's extensive lumber plant and short line of railroad is located in Uphshur

cident. Boston-All is quiet in New England

WASHINGTON-Vice President and

CHICAGO-Fire partially destroyed the виталсе.

sixtieth anniversary of his first mass.

Cleveland.

tes ivities are regarded here, as well as in Washington, as a pacific demonstration calculated to be satisfactory to bota

ment of comparative earnings and expenses of the Pennsylvania Railroad and for 12 months ending Dec. 31, 1897; is as tollows:

ings, increase, \$430,800.

165,000.

Hundle Relief.

LONDON, Jan. 29.-A meeting of com-

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Scenes in the chief couns, l for the defense, and two Ewart building, 11 to 23 Jefferson them openty rebuked him. Harmon street. Loss, \$150,000, protected by in-Censured Sepator Lindsay.

house. The resolution was also adopted 38. MITTS by the senals by a vote of 38 to 10.

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#### LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

piscovered this ways by Independent Insputigators

Born, to Mr. and Mrs Daniel Griffith, in Columbus street, a son. Born, to Mr and Mrs. H. A. Crexton,

of Newcomerstown, a son. Mr. and Mrs A. Wetzel, of Lorain are visiting relati es in the city.

Miss Lulu Houghten, of Dalton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ochler. week in January were \$30,939, an inorease of \$9,056.

Fred Graybill has resigned his posi-Lake Erie railway.

The Rev. C M. Roberts and family an absence of about two weeks.

The condition of David Kerstetter is

Mrs. T. L. Hardin and two children. of Allania, Ga. are visiting the former's cousin, Mrs. John T. Waters, 198 South East street. David Edwards and George Horrit

have started a saloon in the room formerly occupied by Richard Powell, in Exchange street.

pleasantly entertained. Association has decided that the annual

tember 20, 21, 22 and 23. Ernest E. Baldwin, a son of Judge Baldwin, of Canton, has been appointed out the evening.

first assistant United States district attorney of Greater New York. John Griffin has moved his family Griffin has recently been made conduc-

tor of the C., L. & W. mine crew. Thos. F. Kearney, for twenty-three years porter of the National House, in Orrville, is the only known survivor of

the defenders of Fort Sumter in 1861. A Bell telephone has been placed in the office of the E. G. Krause Stanwood mine, No. 114; and another in J. S.

Coxey's North Mill street office, No 275. accident about three weeks ago, is now ser has been absent from Massillon for able to leave his room, and with the aid more than a year, and in all this time of crutches manages to move about the ont a word has been heard from him.

During the demonstration at Dalton on Wednesday, over the victory in court of Dr. Roebuck and others, speeches were also made by Mayor Harrold and Dr.

A great many people are being mysti fled over the appearance of weird lights that travel, apparently without human agency, over the farm of Jacob Myers, a few miles from Tuscara as.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold a dime social in the O U. A. M hall, on Immigrating from France in 1833, Mr. Tuesday, February 1. Lunch will be served. All are cordially invited.

Representative Snyder has introduced a bill in the Ohio legislature providing that a teacher's certificate is good in an adjoining county so far as the school district in which he is teaching extends. The plant of the Massillon Stoneware

fused to accept the reduction of 15 per

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Flynn gave a dancing party in Pille's hall, Friday evening, in honor of Mrs. present, and the occasion proved one of the pleasantest of the season.

seven years of age, the owner of a farm valued at \$8,060, and who has never been more than twelve miles from the house in which he was born, will start

Kail will reside at 12 Mason street. Cleve-

northern Ohio district is spending the day with William Moore, the recently appointed inspector of this district. Mr. Moore entered upon the duties of his F. Schillinger, took place, Thursday, to

Stark County Sunday School Association will be held in Minerva on Monday and Tuesday evening. February 21 and 22 Marion Lawrance, of Toledo, the general secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association, and Mrs. Minnie Haines Smith, of Malvern, will take part in the programme.

The children and the grand children of Mrs. Brigitta Seiler agreeably sur- January 24th off Kennedy Island. The prised her at her home on Thursday ev- vessel and the cargo are a total loss. in honor of her seventieth birth- The passengers were taken to Lewis Ising condition January 27, when the Aller macheou served.

atonce commence the construction of a TIII network of electric lines, which will pass through Huron and Erie counties to Norwalk: thence west through Huron, Sandusky, Seneca, Hancock, Wood, Ottawa and Lucas counties.

That excellent organization, the Dalton band, after playing good music in honor of the safe return of Dr. Roebuck and others, Wednesday afternoon, went to the store of Dr. Pope, and into the receiver of a Farmer's telephone poured several splendid selections, to the great O. L. & W. earnings for the third enjoyment of THE INDEPENDENT, the Wayne County Democrat, the Orrville Crescent and other invited auditors.

Mrs. Newton Clark left her 2-year-old tion as a brakeman on the Wheeling & son sleeping, Wednesday afternoon, while she went down street on an errand. When she returned the child was gone. will leave on Sunday for Cincinnati, for The police were communicated with, and it was learned that a child had been found in the vicinity of the Pennsylvavery serious He is so weak and faint nia railway, and was at that time at the that lears for his recovery are enter- residence of the Rev. and Mrs. Clokey. It proved to be the Clark child. Mr. and Mrs Clark reside at the corner of Main street and Park row.

The second of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association's socials was given Thursday evening, about two hunnred people being present. Charles Gabele, past chancellor of the lodge, made a short address, and immediately afterward card playing was commenced. The Miss Ethel Doddridge was surprised at men's first prize, a china cup and sauher home in Park street, Friday even- cer, was won by Albert Heyman, and ng, by forty friends, who were very Miss Etta Graf won the ladies' prize, a china sugar bowl and cream pitcher. The Tuscarawas County Agricultural Mrs. A. J. Richeimer and Louis Maulman were awarded the consolation prizes. fair shall be held at Canal Dover on Sep- Eight games were played and twentyfour tables were in use. The Euterpe club furnished excellent music through

The fate of Albertus Slusser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cicero W. Slusser, of 9 Francis avenue, who went to Cuba to from Uhrichsville to this city. Mr. join the insurgent army, remains a mystery. Some months ago a mancalled on the young man's father and told him that his son had been wounded in an engagement and taken prisoner by the Spanish. The stranger said that he was in the battle himself, and succeeding in making his escape, at once returned to this country. The matter was placed in the hands of an attorney, Prof E A. Jones, who met with an Massillon man can be found. Mr. Slus-

John E. Grojean has Spent a Half Century at Russell's.

SEVENTY-SIX YEARS OLD TODAY.

Grojean Came Direct to Massillon, and in 1846 Entered the Employ of Russell & Company as a Carpenter.

employ of Russell & Company longer for this purpose. than any other man'in the vast army that the operation of that immense works the Alaskan gold fields is John Morgan. requires, is seventy-six years old today. for many years with local mining com-Company is again in operation. Some Mr. Grojean is at his bench as usual, panies, and whose family resides in West of the old men are at work, and new and all day has been receiving the con- Main street. As the representative of

department of the Russell & Co. es- of the western mining states. British duce by means of evaporation, syring-The injury that Benjamin Lantzer tablishment in the early port of October, Columbia and Alaska. Writing from ing or spraying as much moisture to the sustained to his right hand while on duty 1846, and he has continued in the emat the works of Conrad, Dangler & ploy of the firm ever since. "Time has ment there at present, but that parties Brown, Tuesday, is healing so rapidly wrought great changes," said he today. are already securing outfits and preparthat he expects to be in his accustomed "Little did I think a half century ago ing to leave at the first break in the when I began to work for Russe'l & Com- winter. To one having experienced George Egle, of Monroeville, has com- pany that I should ever see this day, the hardships of Alaskan life, the menced suit against the receivers of the The shops of the forties are still in my Wheeling & Lake Eric railway for \$10. recollection, and the comparison of the Morgan states, and as for himself he is 600 damages, for the loss of his right modest little buildings of those days satisfied to remain in the United States. with these immense structures, and the machinery and the manner of working of then and now, is an interesting study.

Miller, of Norwalk. Sixty guests were has a family of children, all of whom brother and Mr. Harmon to return with East South street.

DID NOT TAKE PLACE. Canal Fulton Sporting Element Suffers a Disappointment.

CANAL FULTON, Jan. 29.-To the great disappointment of a large number of citizens, the ten-round glove contest be-Mr. Henry Kail, a former resident of tween George Ruhlin, a cousin of the this city, and Miss Mary Gilles, of Cleve- Akron giant, and Luther Schillinger, of land, were married at the Jennings ave- this place, did not take place. The father nue M. E. church parsonage, in Cleve- of young Schillinger, the Rev B. F. land, Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Schillinger, of the Lutheran church, would not permit his son to enter the ring Basket ball and hand ball games Phillips and G. B. Smith officiating. were played, and in other respects the original programme was carried out.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Schillinger, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. B. office a few days ago, and has already the Rev. H. J. Nelcher, of Galloway, at 11 o'clock in the Lutheran church, the father of the bride officiating. Mr Nelcher is a Lutheran minister.

The Lucky Thirteen were entertained

Wreck on the Pacific Coast. SEATTLE, Jan. 29 .- [By Associated Press]-The steamship Corona, plying between Seattle and Dyea, was wrecked She was presented by her daughters land, where they now are. The came up and by her boats saved the sured for \$120,000. She had on board about two hundred passengers, mostly crew. bound for the gold regions and seven Only one remedy in the world that will at smoe stop itchisent of the skinin any

Some Klondike News That Will Interest Massillonians.

THE VIEWS OF CHARLES BARTH.

He Sends to Massillon a Genuine Klondike Nugget and Says There are Other Ways of Securing Them Besides Digging in the

The fact that it costs just \$358.90 for ransportation alone from Massillon to cheapest outfit that can be procured in exchange: Seattle sells for \$180 is by no means an inducement to people hereabouts to flock in large numbers to the golden Klondike region in the spring. And yet John Bell has made the journey, and many have it in contemplation. Less than a year ago, John Bell was a machinist at Russell & Company's works and a resident of West Tremont street. Shortly after the death of his wife he left Massillon, and soon word came that he was about to start for Alaska, where in all probability he is at present.

John Augustine, who lives just west of Massillon has been at the Pennsylvania station several times to discuss routes and rates, and he has now definitely decided that he will go first to Orca, on Copper river, several hundred miles south of the Yukon, and if he does not taken profit are not inclined to buy the strike pay dirt there he will later push wheat back again this week. Many were farther north. Mr. Augustine has no the opinions given at the close today as tamily, and is stout of heart and limb, to the turn of the price on Monday. The and while not a practical miner, he is conservative traders are slightly inclined able and willing to work.

Widlam Wiggley, a man of family and over due. property, who caught the gold fever while at work in the blacksmith shop of A. D. Volkmor, a week or two ago, is now in Canal Dover. He went there to meet four friends who expressed a willingness to accompany him to the icy Northwest. It was the intention to start at once, going first to Mexico and the gold fields of the United States, to there get the experience in which all were lacking, but news of an uprising among the Indiaus reached them and who communicated with the authori- interfered with their plans. It is likely ties at Washington, but no trace of the that they will now go direct to the Klon-

dike when navigation opens. Edward L. Royer, of this city, has received a genuine Klondike nugget from Charles Barth, who left Massillon about a year ago, and who is now proprietor of a cigar factory in Seattle. It weighs 150 grains and is worth about \$6. Mr. Barth secured it from a miner who had just returned from Alaska, and there is a likelihood of his going again in the spring. He says that the profits of any sort of a business in the Kiondike valley are very satisfactory and far surer than prospecting, and if he should decide to go to Alaska it will be to establish some kind of a trading post. Besides there are always plenty of experienced miners willing to work on the "grub-stake" plan, which is to bear the expense of working a claim and receive a third or half of what is yielded, and a man in business would be best situated to send out these John E. Grojean, who has been in the prospectors. If he goes at all, it will be

Another Massillonian who has visited men are in the places of those who re- gratulations of his shopmates and friends. the Oregon Improvement Company and Mr. Grojean entered the wood-working other concerns he has prospected in most Seattle, he says there it no great excite-

> Harmon, three young men of Navarre, left for Colorado, two weeks ago, to take Mr. Grojean was born in France, and up claims. Edward Biddle has been in came to this country in 1833, in the the West for several years. When he same year arriving in Massillon. He was at home on a visit he induced his have reached maturity. His home is in him. It is possible that they may be among the army that will seek gold in the Klondike valley this spring.

#### **OBITUARY NOTICE** MRS. MARTHA JANE MARTIN.

Mrs. Martha Jane Martin, aged 61 years, the wife of Orlando Martin, after an illness with bronchitis extending over the greater part of eight years, passed peacefully away Friday evening shortly after seven o'clock, being conscious to the residence in Park street Monday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock the Revs. M.

Mrs Martin was the daughter of Mr. married at Richville, in 1854. They first mouth. - Norwich (Kan.) Courant. Knox county. The ceremony took place resided in Navarre, coming to Massillon in 1875, which has been their home ever since Mrs. Martin was a member of the United Brethren church. Besides a husband, three children survive, John, by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Porter, Friday William and Bertha, all of whom reside in Massillon.

> The Dago's Crew Rescued. NEW YORK, Jan. 29 .- [By Associated Press]-The steamer Aller arrived today, bringing the captain and twentyfour of the crew of the British ship Dago, which sank at sea. The Dago had been

TODAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.-Stock market firm and active. It was a busy half day. There was exhibited fresh buying. Commission houses were again good buyers. London is still selling N. Y. C. and L. & N. was cabled # penny lower in London, who afterwards turned buyers and prices were forced to 58% and V Hammersmith's insurance office. closed at best figures.

BANK STATEMENT. Reserve Increased Loans increased. Specie increased. Legals increased. Deposits increased..... . . Circulation decreased......

The following figures show fluctuations Dawson City, Alaska, and that the of stocks, as furnished by T. B. Arnold's

Open- High. Low. Close American Sugar...... 136% 138% 186% 188% American Tobacco..... 88 99% 100% 99% 10 C. B. & Q..... Jersey Central..... 94% Louisville & Nashville 57% 58% 57% Northwest ...... 123% 125% 1 8% 125% Rock Island ...... 9814 1314 9814 9814 St. Paul. People's Gas ..... Western Union ...... 20% 9.3% 903%

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—[By Associated Press]—Hogs active, steady \$3.60@\$3.90, West Tremont street Inquire of Mrs. F. Geltz, 209 State street, cr S. Burd. cattle steady.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Liverpool cabled wheat firm to \( \frac{1}{3} \) penny higher. There was not much interest taken in the wrenches for sale. Geo. H. Gove V S, of fice and stable rear of 24 East Main street, assillon. O Bell 'phone 208 wheat pit today, and people who have to bear the market, thinking a re-action

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### The Care of House Ferns.

In the house where ierns are kept innot successfully withstand a dry, parching atmosphere. For the purpose of retaining moist air about the plant Wardian cases or ferneries are often used with good success or a glass bell placed over the plant part of the time. It is well to bear in mind also that ferns, with the exception of the hardy upland sorts, grow in moist, shaded places. It is therefore essential that they never dry out and that they be kept in partial shade. It is not wise, however, to soak the plants daily, whether needed or not. When new fronds are unturling, avoid placing the plant in a position where it will be exposed to the full power of the sunlight, as it will sometimes burn or blast the tender young fronds.-Woman's Eome Companion.

Short on Fingers; Long on Sense. We are becoming an optimist more and more all the time. We have come to the conclusion that nearly every-

thing that happens, though it cannot be seen at the time, is for the best. About 20 years ago when we were stealing a the last. The funeral will be held from ride on a bruder we got to poking wheat straws in the cogwheels to see them cut the heads off. Somehow the machine caught one of our index fingers and cut it off at the first joint. All these years and Mrs. Henry Hartzell, and was born have passed and we have just found out at Mt. Holly, Pa. Both parents are dead, what that stub of a finger is good for. and John Hartzell, an uncle, resides east It comes handy to a teething baby, there of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Martin were being no nail on it to cut the baby's

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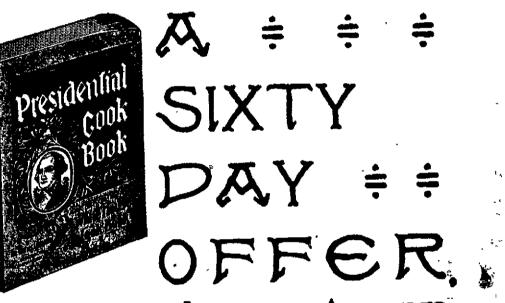
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